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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF FLORIDA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

CASE NUMBER 00-6311-CR-HUCK

Plaintiff,

MAGISTRATE JUDGE BROWN

v.

CLARENCE LARK, et al.,

Defendants.

DEFENDANT LAWRENCE SEYMORE'S MOTION FOR CONTINUANCE OF TRIAL

Defendant LAWRENCE SEYMORE ("SEYMORE") files this Motion for Continuance of Trial presently scheduled for January 15, 2001 and as grounds and good cause states:

1. The indictment in the present case is thirty-seven (37) pages in length involving nine (9) defendants and consists of forty-three (43) counts involving, among other things, money laundering, conspiracy and RICO violations.
2. A package of discovery documents approximating one (1) inch in thickness were just mailed by Assistant United States Attorney Michael J. Dittoe on December 20, 2000 via FedEx to the undersigned. (A true and accurate copy of the FedEx cover sheet is attached as Exhibit "A.")
3. The undersigned has also been advised that there are several boxes of additional discovery documents which, as of this date, have not yet been produced to the defense.
4. The undersigned cannot adequately represent and defend Defendant SEYMORE (i.e. review the as yet unavailable discovery, conduct any investigation, file appropriate motions and prepare for trial) by January 15. Accordingly, the undersigned has filed an Affidavit of Good Cause which is attached and incorporated as Exhibit "B."

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WHEREFORE, Defendant LAWRENCE SEYMORE respectfully requests, for the aforementioned reasons, that this Honorable Court continue the presently scheduled trial setting in this cause in order to afford the undersigned counsel adequate time consistent with the discovery to prepare a proper defense.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I CERTIFY that a true and accurate copy of the foregoing was mailed to the individuals listed on the attached Service List on this 3rd day of January, 2001.


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